

# Interview Summary

Application No.

10/717,644

Applicant(s)

YONENO, KUNIO

Examiner

Stephen G. Sherman

Art Unit

2629

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Stephen G. Sherman.

(3) Todd Baker.

(2) Amr Awad.

(4) \_\_\_\_\_.

Date of Interview: 07 May 2007.

Type: a) ☐ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference  
c) ☒ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☒ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: \_\_\_\_\_.

Claim(s) discussed: 27 and 46

Identification of prior art discussed: Onagawa (5,657,089) and Cappel s, Sr. (5,731,843)

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: \_\_\_\_\_.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

After the claims were discussed, the Examiner starts by the rejection of claims 27 and 46. IF the applicant decides to further amend the claims to include "removing the low-band component of the image data through a high-pass filtering process realized by convolution operation", the further consideration will be given.

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.

AMR A. AWAD  
SUPERVISORY PATENT EXAMINER

Examiner's signature, if required